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## HALSTEAD'S CASE

The Senate Confirms some Montana Appointments and Discusses an Editor's Conduct.

Some Few Nominations, Among Them a Governor and a Secretary for a Sister Territory.

The Millions Appropriated Yearly to Pay the Expenses of the Government-The Pacific Roads.

WASHINGTON, March 29 .- In the senate to-day, at his own request, Senator Shermmittee to wait upon the president to inquire if he had any other business to lay pefore the senate, was laid upon the table

subject to call.

Dawes offered a resolution (laid overy calling on the secretary of the interior for information as to the Langford claim to lands in the Lapwai Indian reservation, Idaho. The senate then proceeded to executive business.

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The senate confirmed the following nominations: Charles E. Moneith, to be agent at the Nez Perces agency. Postmasters—George Budd, Bozeman, Mont.; James M. Moore, Anaconda, Mont.; John P. Hague, Tacoma, W. T.

The senate was in executive session for three hours, occupied almost entirely in considering the nomination of Murat Halstead for minister to Germany. There were only five speeches made, two of them by Hoar and Spooner, in support of the confirmation, and the others by Teller, Evarts and Payne in opposition. Senator Teller read Halstead's famous letter to Secretary Chase concerning Lincoin and Grant. Payne was very bitter in tone, and said if the nomination had been to Russia, with a proviso that the nominee should go on to Siberia and never return, he would gladly vote for the confirmation. Evarts speech was a long one and said to have been emphatic in its opposition. Spooner, in the course of his speech in favor of confirming said that if newspaper men were for all time to be held to account for opinions expressed in the heat of a campaign, but few could hope to pass unscathed into the golden realm of office holding. Sherman desiring to respond to remarks against Halstead, the senate adjourned till 120 clock tomorrow, leaving the question pending on a motion to reconsider yesterday's vote of rejection.

During the afternoon a motion was en-tered by Plumb to reconsider the vote by which the nomination of Wolfley to be gov-ernor of Arizona was confirmed. It is said additional charges have been preferred against him relating to actions while a revenue officer on the Mississippi river years ago. At 5 o'clock the senate ad-journed.

Friday's Nominations. WASHINGTON, March 29.—The president sent the following nominations to the sen-ate to-day: Robt. Adams, Jr., of Pennsylvania, to be minister to Brazil; Lansing B. Misener, of California, to be minister to the Central American States; Wm. Q. Scrusgs of Georgia, to be minister to Venezuela; Wm. O. Bradley, of Kentuckey. to be con-sul general to Corea; Geo. Chandler, of Kansas to be first assistant appreciator of the

WASHINGTON, March 29 .- Geo. Chand. ler, nominated for first assistant secretary

has been a resident of Kansas for twenty years. He is at present judge of the state court comprising the circuit about Independence, the only public office he ever held. He is of high character, irreproachable life and great attainments in his profession.

W. L. Scruggs, who was to-day nominated to be United States minister to Venezuela, was born in Tennessee but afterwards removed to Georgia. He has had considerable experience in diplomacy, having been appointed United States consul at Canton, China, in 1880, from which post he was promoted to be minister to Bogota in 1884. Scruggs held this post until relieved by the last democratic administration. years. He is at present judge of the state

of the interior, is about 42 years old, and

in real estate.

Mr. Sharp, the nominee for governor of idaho, is one of the oldest and best known residents of that territory. He is a large cattle dealer, the owner of several general merchandise stores, and also runs one or more stage lines. He is a man of considerable wealth.

ble wealth.

Robert Adams, nominated to be minister of Brazil, is a gentleman of culture and atanments living in Philadelphia. He is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, ex-state senator and a member of the governor's staff of the Philadelphia

vania, ex-state senator and a member of the governor's staff of the Philadelphia City Troop.

Wm. O. Bradley, named for minister to Corea, is a prominent southern republican. During the war he was a union man. He has been the candidate of the Kentucky republicans for governor and United States senator and made a good race against Gov. Buckner for the former place. At the Chicago convention Kentucky urged him for vice-president and he received a number of votes from southern delegates. He is a fine lawyer, with a large and lucrative practice, and it is said he will not accept the office and that he informed the president he did not desire any appointment whatever.

To Run the Government. WASHINGTON, March 29.—The clerks of statements of the appropriations made at each session, have completed that duty, and have compiled a statement showing the appropriations for the fiscal years from 1865 to 1890 inclusive. This table shows a constantly but not regularly increasing total of appropriation. The appropriations for the year ending June 30, 1890, are as follows: Agriculture, \$1,669,770; army, \$24,009,116; diplomatic and consular, \$1,980,025; District of Columbia, \$5,987,406; fortifications, \$1,233,594; Indian, \$8,035,725; legislative and and judicial, \$20,840,536; military, \$902,767; navy, \$21,692,510; pensions, \$81,758,290; postoffice, \$66,605,344; sundry civil, \$25,277,-342; deficiencies, \$16,423,360; miscellaneous, \$10,153,980; permanent appropriations, \$198,591,656. The total appropriations made by each of the several congresses since 1874 are as follows: Forty-third, \$649,794,991; Forty-fourth, \$594,643,272; Forty-fifth, \$703,605,953; Forty-sixth, \$727,956,603; Forty-seventh, \$777,685,948; Forty-eighth, \$655,268,402; Forty-ninth, \$746,243,514; Fiftieth, \$817,878,075.

The Pacific Roads Inspection.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The date of the beginning of the proposed investigation into the condition and prospects of the Union and Central Pacific railroads, their leased lines and branches, by a special committee of the senate, has been postponed. It has been intended to meet at Chicago April 6 and start the next day, spending six weeks on the trip, but the inability of Hiscock to get away led to a change in the date to October.

Cigar Workers May Strike. NEW YORK, March 29.—It is reported there is great dissatisfaction among jour-

### CARTER'S LATEST MOVE.

The Indian Agencies to Come Under th WASHINGTON, March 29.-[Special to the ndependent |- The Montana situation, s far as the secretaryship is concerned, is to all outward appearances unchanged, but withn the ranks of the Montana representative ere it has been kept stewing. If a cer tain combination works to-morrow the name of the secretary will go in to the senate. At the latest the secretary will be selected on Monday. His selection d pends upon the removal of another public official and the appointment of another re publican who is a strong candidate for secretary. The man who has been selected, should the combination work, is said to know nothing of the facts. He never applied for this or any other office, nor does he know his name has ever been

thought of. Meanwhile Carter has been cutting into the other offices and has drawn some blood. He istarted out to contend that the Indian agencies are territorial offices, and that they come under the territoria ome rule clause of the last republica latform. This several patriots from the east protest against, but Carter has made t so evident to the president and the secre tary of the interior that they have conced ed it without argument. As a result the official head of Dale O. Cowen, of Ohio, the agent at the Fort Peck agency, will fly off to-morrow, and Charles R. A. Scobry will be appointed in his stead. Briscoe, agent of the Crows, will also be removed to-morrow. His successor will be Major

agent of the Crows, will also be removed to-morrow. His successor will be Major Moses Wayman, an ex-navy officer, a resident of Miles City and an employe of the Northern Pacific.

Russell Harrison and Carter visited the interior department in the interest of Geo. Wakefield, the stage line proprietor in Yellowstone National park. Wakefield desires to erect stables in the park for the better accommodation of the vast number of horses necessary to accommodate tourists in the park this summer, and a plat of ground will be leased to him to build his stables on.

Carl T. Peterson has been recommended for postmaster at Livingston.

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Washington, March 29.—Lieut. Harry C. Bateman, who was supposed to have been killed on a railroad track near Muncie, Ind., yesterday, has been in trouble for other loose practices which threatened to involve him in serious difficulty with the war department. Finally he disappeared to the product of the product of the living and the product of the living and the laid tupon the table in front of the living and the laid tupon the table in front o

the application of the Columbia Iron Works, of Baltimore, for an extension of time for completing their contract for the construc-tion of the gunboat Petrel. He refers the contractors to congress for relief. By such extension the contractors would be relieved in part of the forfeitures to the government from delay in completing the vessel.

WASHINGTON, March 29.-President Harrison is said to have given a semi-oficial notice to senators that they may adjourn Tuesday, so far as business from the exe-cutive is concerned. It is believed a suc-cessor to the late Associate Judge Stanley Matthews will not be nominated before the

Want Klein Tried. WASHINGTON, March 29.—It is reported and believed in well informed circles that the German government has requested that Correspondent Klein be arrested and re-turned to Samoa to be tried before the American (not German) consular court for murderous assault.

OF COURSE NOT.

The Election Fraud Cases in Indiana Not to

tion, be thrown out. Already twenty-five have been declared invalid, including ten yesterday and fifteen to-day. In some instances only a part of the indictments against certain individuals have been quashed. In no instance has a bribery case been dismissed. The indictments quashed are against individuals charged with illegal voting or with assisting others to vote illegally. The charge is made by the attorneys of the defendants and by the republicans that indictments had been carelessly and loosely drawn. It is held that the court had no other course than to grant the motions to quash. Judge Woods says the indictments were irregular, and could not be brought to his attention in that form. All these indictments were found by the federal grand jury under the direction of the lately retired democratic officials of the court. It is not the intention of the present United States district attorney to call back the old grand jury. He says any grand jury can return indictments, and that some of the cases may be brought up in the state courts. He does not think himself called on to do anything further with the grand jury.

The Amendment Lost. stances only a part of the indictments

amendment to the Jesuit estates act, and it was voted down-13 yeas to 175 nays. The singing of "God Save the Queen" terminated the proceedings. The amendment protested against the action of the government in regard to the settlement of Jesuit claims. Its defeat is a victory for the govhouse of O'Brien's resolution on the Jes-uits' estate aci, passed by the Quebec legis-lature, is intense. Orangemen will hold a mass meeting Monday night to organize a national defense fund to test the validity of the act in the courts.

Killed by Moonshiners. LOUISVILLE, March 29 .- A telegram to United States Marshal Gross from Floyd county, this afternoon, said that Deputy Marshal Wiseman had been fired upon by a party of twelve outlaws last Tuesday a party of twelve outlaws last Tuesday and instantly killed. He was accompanied by four special bailiffs and was making a raid after moonshiners. The deputy had three prisoners when attacked and all made their escape. One of the bailiffs, whose name was not given, was badly wounded. Several shots were exchanged, and two of the attacking party, it is believed, are killed. Their names are unknown and they were carried away by their companions.

## KING OF THIEVES

The Boldest and Most Successful Bank Robbery of the Age Perpetrated at Denver.

An Original Idea, Coupled With a Re volver and Glycerine, Secure a Large Sum.

TWASHINGTON, March 29.—An Associated Press reporter took a dispatch regarding the supposed loss of three American menor-war to Secretary Tracy at his hotel at an early hour this morning. The secretary sent down word he had no advices whatever in regard to the matter. President Moffatt Compelled to Give U \$21,000, the Daring Thief Making Good His Escape.

DENVER, March 29 .- The boldest and

most successful bank robbery ever reported in the west was perpetrated upon the First National bank at 2 o'clock this afternoon, by which the robber succeeded in BILLINGS, March 29 .- L. Samuels, pubgetting away with \$21,000. The cashier of sher of the West Shore, arrived here from the bank in an interview with an Associa-Portland, Oregon, to-day to appear as a ted Press reporter a few minutes after the witness in the case of the Territory of robbery gave the following account of the Montana vs. James Gordon. Gordon travaffair: Yesterday morning immediately after the opening of the bank a well dresselled through Dakota and Montana, repreenting himself as the agent of the West ed man with a light mustache and com-Shore Magazine, and obtained quite a sum piexion, and of medium height, walked of money at various points along the line of into the bank and asked Cashier Ross the road from Jamestown, Dak., westward. Lewin where he could see Mr. Moffatt, At this place he aroused suspicion, and the who is also president of the Denver & Rio West Shore being telegraphed Gordon was at once branded a fraud. On complaint of Grand railway. He was told Mr. Moffatt was in the president's B. S. Scott & Co. he was arrested at Livoffice in the Cheesman block. Noth ngston, where he was preparing to vicing more was seen or heard of the strange imize the citizens, and brought back here. At his trial to-day he was found guilty and received the limit of the law, three months in jail on bread and water and a fine of \$100. A number of similar charges are to be preferred against him here and in other parts of Montans, and he will in all FOREIGN MARKETS.

BAD NEWS FROM SAMOA.

Men-of-War Wrecked and Many Live

Lost During a Storm.

AUCKLAND, March 29 .- Dispatches from

amoa say that the American men-of-war

Trenton, Vandalia and Nipsic and the Ger-

man men-of-war Adler, Olga and Eber

were driven on the reef during a violent

storm and totally wrecked. Of the Ameri-

can crews four officers and forty-six men

were drowned and of the German crews

nine officers and eighty-seven men lost

ON BREAD AND WATER.

their lives.

The Copper Market to Take Care of Itself
--Watching Jay Gould. Loopon, March 29 .- The stock exchange ment passed without trouble. The feeling was generally far more hopeful, although misgivings continued regarding some of the French financial institutions. The success of the conversion of Russian 5 per cent. loans into 4 per cent. consolidated stock was a factor in restoring confidence. In view of the impending prosecution by the government of the Comptoir des Compte the directors of that bank are reported to be realizing on their private property so as to be sale in the event of contingencies. It

is believed that the prosecution of the Societe des Metaux will prove abortive, on the ground that there is no law to prevent anyone from speculating at his own risk and peril.

Strong efforts continue to be made in parliament to induce the government to legislate against syndicates. It is stated that a syndicate has arranged the terms of purchase of the English paper mills. The newspaper proprietors have consequently opened negotiations

STRUCK WITH A ROCK.

desired to live. Moffatt, seeing no other alternative, filled out the check and was then ordered to take it to the paying teller and get it cashed. Mr. Moffatt left his office, and the man behind him, with the revolver partially concealed under his overcoat, and with the muzzle almost against Moffatt's back, marched him behind the counter and up to Paying Teller Keeley, with a request that it be immediately cashed. They then re-marched into Moffatt's office without attracting the attention of one of the fifteen or twen'y clerks who were busy at work within two feet of where they passed. After they had remained in the private office three or four minutes the robber informed Mr. Moffatt that they were wasting time, and that he had better step to the door and motion his teller to come to him, which he did. Moffatt instructed him to bring the money into his office, and as the teller turned to go away the robber told him that he wanted twenty one thousand dollar bills and \$1,000 in gold. The money was brought in and handed over to the gentleman, who for a brief moment had owned the bank, and waiting until the teller had reached his desk, he backed out to the front door. Mr. Moffatt remained standing in his door until the fellow had reached the curbstone. The thier then raised his hat and walked around the corner and has not been heard of since. Mr. Moffatt is completely prostrated with the shock. Detectives are out after the man, but there is no trace of him.

The man who committed the robbery introduced himself to President Moffatt as C. J. Wells, a name, however, probably assumed. A moment after the alarm was given by Mr. Moffatt a man started rapidly up Sixteenth street from the bank, followed by a crowd and several officers. He was followed to room 14 Hallack & Howard block, where he and two companions were arrested and taken to the station house. Mr. Moffatt as man started rapidly up Sixteenth street from the bank, followed by a crowd and several officers. He man, and he was immediately released. The prisoner p Independent.]—As Conductor Marron, who runs the train on the Rocky Fork branch was on the down trip to-day about twentyout, he was struck in the face with a rock size of a man's fist. His assailant started to run away, but was caught by the train men and brought to this city and is now lodged in the bastile. Marron was cut severely about the mouth and seriously

THE FLOWERS' CREMATION.

but not dangerously wounded.

Tenn., says: The people in the Hollow Rock neighborhood, where four of the Flowers family were cremated alive a week ago, suspect a man named John Knowles of the foul deed. It is known that Knowles had been trying to pursuade Flowers' wife Monday before the burning he became very desperate in his entreaties and offered to put Flowers out of the way. Knowles being a desperate man, and he and Flowers being a desperate man, and he and Flowers having had a fight on the subject once before, Mrs. Flowers became alarmed and told her mother of the state of affairs. Then Knowles, it is thought, fearing trouble would occur, and being in a frenzy, put an end to the whole family. Knowles disappeared the day after the burning and has not been heard from since. pieces of wood were dropped on their backs. At one time the sea appeared like a mass of confused fire from the gamboling of the creatures, and lines of phospho-rescent light, sometimes as far as the eye could reach, were visible from the ship's decks. All that night the mighty fish played around the vessel. It is supposed they were attracted in shore by the schools of mackerel now off the cost.

BALTIMORE, March 29 .- Capt. Pedrick,

of a schooner from Charleston, reports that

on March 24, when fifteen miles off Cape

Henry, a school of sperm whales was met.

They came so close to the vessel that

CHICAGO, March 29 .- Arthur Kru-

chensk, a 14 year old lad, said to be heir

SPOKANE FALLS, March 29 .- [Special to the Independent.]-The Oregon Railway and Navigation depot and warehouse, with the entire contents, at Endicott, burned this morning; loss, \$5,000: insurance, \$1,-200. The fire was caused by tramps who

were sleeping on bales of hay. An Indian died at Cour d'Alene city from a beating he received a week ago. He was intoxicated and broke the window of a saloon, whereupon white men pun-ished him severely. Agent Gwyder goes up to-morrow to attend the inquest.

mother last night received a dispatch from Crest Line, Ohio, reading: "Your young son just passed through here. He was on a stock train. He tried to get off but two men who wore cowboy hats held him until the Itrain left the city. Maybe you can head him off at Pittsburg." A telegram was sent to the chief of police at Pittsburg. Paris, March 29.—The Presse states that Deputies Clemenceau, Bovier and Lapiene

of the Wabash Western last night. No passengers were hurt. The wrecked train was the St. Paul and St. Louis express, which went through a bridge near Queen City, Mo. The piling had been burned out during the night and the engine and three coaches went into a ditch eight feet deep.

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FIVE CENTS

John Bright's Life Held Up for the Admiration of the World by

An Illustration of the Reluctance of Mr. Bright to Accept Any Gov-

Hon. Wm. E. Gladstone.

ernment Office. Whatever Touched Him as a Man Obtained His Sincere and Enthusiastic

Aid-His Simplicity. LONDON, March 29 .- The session of the louse of commons this evening was devot-Right Hon. Wm. Henry Smith was the first

scribed Bright as a man of thorough honesty of purpose and great energy of char-acter. Although warmly attached to the iberal party he could not sacrifice his peronal convictions for any of those co rations which have great weight with most men. His memory would live long in the hearts of men. He would go down to the grave followed by the affection and sorrow of the country.

Gladstone upon rising was rec

cheers. He said: "Mr. Bright has been to a very remarkable degree happy in the moment of his removal from among us. He lived to see the triumph of almost every great cause to which he especially devoted his heart and mind. He has established a special claim to the admiration of those from whom he differed through his long political life, by a marked concurrence with them upon the prominent

ment, because of the triumph recorded in the advance of his country and its people. His name is indelibly written in the annals of time and on the hearts of the great and overspreading race to which he belonged, whose wide extension he rejoiced to see and whose power and prominence he believed to be full of promise and glory for the best interests of mankind." Mr. Gladstone resumed his seat amid much subdued cheering.

Justin McCarthy, who, in the absence of Parnell, spoke for the Irish party, associated their sentiments with those expressed in the noble speech of Gladstone. He said the memory of the Irish people endured, and it carried them back to the time when Mr. Bright championed their cause. He therefore claimed the right of Ireland to lay an immortelle upon the great Englishman's grave. (Cheers.)

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

E. T. Blatchford's six-story building at Chicago burned yesterday; loss, \$300,000; well insured. The grand national steeplechase, four miles 456 yards, was won by Varigate, Why Not second, M. P. third.

At the Liverpool spring meeting the section Park plate, for two-year-olds, five urlongs, was won by Barbette. The Journal de St. Petersburg denies the reports circulated on the European bourses that Russia is massing troops on the frontier of Afghanistan.

Geo. H. Benney, an insurance broker of Boston, went into voluntary insolvency yesterday. His liabilities are about \$160, 000; assets, \$80,000. Legitime's government has instructed foreign governments, through their representatives at Hayti, that it protests against the issue of money by the Hyppolite faction, and will not in any way recognize the